

sworn in by Chief Justice Simpson. Governor Chapin is thirty-four years of age, and next to Governor Moore will be the youngest member of the State ever had.

Ex-Governor Thompson will start for Washington immediately, and will assume the duties of his office as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury on Monday.

PUTTING THREE SHOES IN HER HEAD.

ELISE GERLACH'S DESPAIR BECAUSE DESERTED BY HER LOVER.

The body of the young woman who was found dead at Fort Lee on Thursday, with three bullet wounds in her head and a cheap revolver by her side, was identified yesterday by Louis Leon, of No. 4 Varick place, as that of Elise Gerlach, his wife's sister. She came to this country from Germany about four and one-half years ago and made her home with her sister. She was well educated, modest, pretty and of an independent disposition. About a year after her arrival she became a domestic in the family of Charles H. Clayton, of No. 352 West Thirty-third-st., and so ingratiated herself with Mrs. Bachwood, the housekeeper, that she became rather a companion of the latter than a servant. On January 1 this year she was introduced to Gustav Henry, a carpenter living at No. 95 First-ave. He was a good-looking German, age twenty-eight. The young woman became thoroughly infatuated with him. He called frequently and took her on excursions into the country. In February she acknowledged to Mrs. Bachwood that Gustav had betrayed her, and through the efforts of the housekeeper she promised to leave him. The girl and Gustav met again. The time was changed, however, as far as possible, that he was out of work and unable to support a wife. Henry finally agreed that the wedding should take place, and he informed his mistress that he would give her service on Friday last.

On Wednesday Elise arrived with Henry, saying that he had gone to New York to procure work. She began to feel lover and in company with her husband, as far as possible, to speak of their future, and learned that he had taken a room in the residence of his employer that evening. Elise packed up a few personal belongings and left him.

On Thursday afternoon, after a long absence, Elise asked permission to go once more to the residence of her lover. Henry brought the revolver found on her when he left. Elise went to a hardware store, took the gun at the foot of Forty-second-st., Fort Lee, and going immediately to the hotel, fired three shots at her lover, but fortunately they penetrated her shoulder. Gustav had learned that an inquest was to be held, and as all the surroundings pointed to suicide, and had given orders to the body should be buried at the public-house plot at Schenectady, where the state's brother-in-law resided. Schenectady was at 400 feet above the little cemetery at Rensselaer without a cemetery.

In a parlor-boarded room in auster and her lover, and a bank-book addressed to her and her lover, and a bank-book with credits amounting to \$200.

POPULARITY OF THE "WILD WEST" SHOW.

Buffalo Bill's Indians and cowboys at Brooklyn are attracting an average 15,000 people daily. It was estimated that 40,000 persons started from this city, Jersey City, Newark and Brooklyn on Monday to see the "Wild West" show. The managers of the show, however, might derive still more income after the opening, but, contrary to expectation it looks as if the Station Island Rapid Transit Company was compelled to order extra additional cars.

The enter-tainment is free, and it is the custom that it costs only 25 cents to get into the grounds. The entertainment is given with the aid of electric lights.

The performances given in the evenings are precisely the same as those given in the afternoons.

There is never any disorder and the most respectable classes make nightly trips to the show.

MEININGER COMPANY NOT LIKELY TO COME.

Wesley Sisson has just returned from Germany, where he went to conclude negotiations for the sale of the Meininger Company next October. As negotiations were about to be closed, Herr Chromy, the head of the organization, both in business and business capacity, had a stroke of paralysis and a stroke since been confined to bed. Sisson is to return to New York to Mr. Sisson from his Berlin agent as soon as possible.

The Meininger Company is to be sold to the Duke of Albany, who is to allow the company to come except under Chromy's direction, and therefore the amounts paid as subscriptions will be refunded.

RETURN OF THE TWENTY-THIRD.

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